## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

SUNG KOOK (BILL) HWANG AND PATRICK HALLIGAN

Defendants.

Criminal Action No. 22-240

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MOTION FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE

PURSUANT TO Rule 1.3(c) of the Local Rules of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York, I, THOMAS R. VALEN, hereby move this Court for an Order for admission to practice *pro hac vice* to appear as counsel for Defendant Sung Kook (Bill) Hwang in the above-captioned action. I am a member in good standing of the bars of the State of New Jersey and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and there are no pending disciplinary proceedings against me in any state or federal court. I have never been convicted of a felony. I have never been censured, disbarred or denied admission or readmission by any court.

I have attached my affidavit pursuant to Local Rule 1.3(c).

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: May 9, 2022 By: s/Thomas R. Valen

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